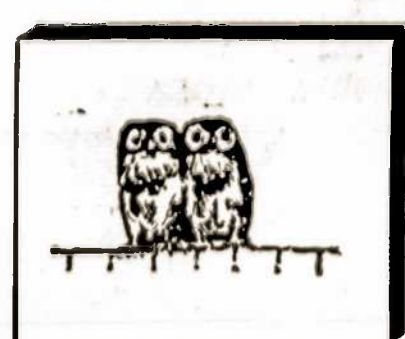




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PRICE FIVE CENTS

COMING ACTIVITIES OF NORTHFIELD BROTHERHOOD IN BRIEF OUTLINE

On next Tuesday evening, May 21st, occurs the annual meeting of The Brotherhood when the election of officers for the ensuing year will be held and a full attendance is desired. Supper will be served at 6:30 and after the business session the Brotherhood will be addressed by the guest of the evening, Hon. Herbert C. Parsons of Boston.

Sunday evening, May 26th, The Brotherhood will be in charge of the evening service of the Trinitarian Congregational church at 8 p. m., and a cordial invitation is extended to all to join in the exercises. Rev. W. W. Coe will give the address and several musical numbers will be rendered. Let every member make a special effort to be present.

On May 30th, Memorial Day, a delegation from The Brotherhood will decorate the graves of members who have passed on.

On June 12th will be held the annual picnic for members and their families at Wares Grove on Lake Spofford. Cars will leave the church at 2 p. m. and Mr. Polhemus will be in charge of transportation. Anyone having room in their cars or desiring transportation please communicate with him at Kenard. The entertainment committee will be headed as in years past by our bountiful provider, Frank Kellogg, which means there will be a supper "fit for a king."

COMING EVENTS IN NORTHFIELD

If officers or members of local organizations or committees will send in dates of their functions well in advance, we will be glad to print them in this column, without charge.

Tuesday, May 21
Vestry, North Church, Brotherhood, 6:30 p. m.

Tuesday, May 21
Town Hall, Men's Club play.

Wednesday, May 22
The Northfield, Musicals, 8 p. m.

Friday, May 24
Town Hall, Community Social club dance.

Thursday, May 30
Town Hall, Decoration Day exercises.

Friday, May 31
Town Hall, Bernardston High school play.

Mon. and Tues., June 3 and 4
Town Hall, Greenfield Elect. Light and Power Co. demonstration.

Wednesday, June 5
Town Hall, Community Social club dance.

Friday, June 7
Town Hall, Grammar School exercises.

June 14 to 22
East Northfield, Young Men's Student Conference.

Mon. Tues., Wed., June 17, 18, 19
Town Hall, Greenfield Electric Light and Power Co. demonstration.

Thurs. and Fri., June 20 and 21
Town Hall, Northfield High School exercises.

June 25 to July 3
East Northfield, Young Women's Conference.

"DEACON DUBBS" TO BE OFFERED BY LIP AND STICK CLUB

The "Lip and Stick" Dramatic club of Powers Institute, announces the presentation of its spring play, "Deacon Dubbs", in three acts, at the Bernardston Town hall, Friday, May 24th at 8 o'clock.

This club has worked very diligently on this play, giving special attention to dramatic scenes and musical and lighting effects. The play itself is a pleasant combination of humor, drama and rural wit. The author, Walter Ben Hare, is the writer of many quality plays including the clubs last work, "Deacon Dubbs" is much superior to the aforesaid performance in that it is a more serious type of entertainment.

The play concerns itself with the laughable adventures of Deacon Dubbs, a jovial, middle-aged widower from "Sorghum Center, State of West Virginia", who decides to visit his nephew Amos Coleman in the village. Amos is in love with Rose Raleigh, the brave little school ma'am, who is something of a mystery to the inhabitants of the village. Her little farm is about to be sold by auction as the result of a foreclosure suit however Amos and the Deacon finally overcome the difficulties. You must see the play to appreciate it. No one can tell you all about it. You cannot fail to admire the little heroine, Rose Raleigh, in her brave attempt to do right. Rawdon Crawley, the villain, will also be sure to impress you. Yet all is not drama. Much comedy is furnished during the action of the play by the bumbling Major McNutt, and the efforts of a Swedish hired girl to make the farm hand Deuteronomy, pop the question. Country songs, country dances, and plenty of action characterize the adventures of "Deacon Dubbs". Adults 35 cents and children 25 cents.

Entertains Literary Society

Mrs. W. G. Webber entertained the Women's Literary society of Mt. Hermon last week Thursday evening with Mrs. H. H. Morse, Mrs. E. F. Howard and Mrs. W. D. Miller assisting as hostesses. Mrs. Carroll Ross gave a paper on Ultra-Modern Art. A play entitled "The Game" was presented by Mrs. Rene Ingram, Mrs. L. A. Smith and Mrs. Ross. Mrs. H. F. Cutler, the president of the society, presided. The hostesses served refreshments.

"I don't see why having your car overhauled should be such a depressing experience."

"You don't eh? Well, it was overhauled by a motorcycle cop."

"Better come to Morgan's Garage in the first place and save the trouble. Advt."

HIGH SCHOOLS COMPETE AT GREENFIELD

The local high school will be one of 45 to take part in the tenth annual meeting of the Connecticut Valley Commercial Teachers' association on Saturday, May 18, at the Greenfield High school, Greenfield. It will include three contests for cups and medals in which the undergraduates of the Connecticut Valley High school commercial departments will take part. In the typewriting contest, a 15-minute speed test, the contestants will compete for the Pickett Cup, donated by the president of the association, John C. Pickett of the Northampton Commercial college, Northampton.

In shorthand there will be a 5-minute contest with dictation at the rate of 80 words a minute under the National Shorthand Reporters' association rules. This contest involves an accuracy requirement of 95 per cent on the part of the contestants, and the trophy will be the Bay Path Institute shield awarded for one year to the high school represented by the winning contestant.

In addition to the two championship emblems there will be additional cups and prizes in both the typewriting and shorthand contests. Schools may enter any number of contestants, the three ranking entrants to constitute the school's team after results are checked. A loving cup will be awarded to that school whose team makes the best average in both contests; and individual, first, second and third prizes will also be presented.

A novel feature of the meeting this year will be a Spelling Bee with a loving cup for the winning orthographer. It is hoped that this contest will stimulate interest in correct spelling, one of the foundation stones of stenographic ability.

The complete program for the day follows:

10:00 A. M. Registrations and Introductions.

10:30 A. M. Address of Welcome, by Principal E. B. Smith, Greenfield High School, Greenfield.

Response, John C. Pickett, President of the Association.

10:45 A. M. Musical Selections, by the Greenfield High School orchestra.

11:00 A. M. Typewriting Contest for High School championship of the Connecticut Valley. Prize, John C. Pickett cup.

12:00 M. Shorthand Contest for the High School championship of the Connecticut Valley. Prize, Bay Path Institute Trophy Shield.

1:00 P. M. Lunch.

2:00 P. M. Spelling Contest. Prize, Loving Cup.

2:30 P. M. Business Meeting and Election of Officers.

Report of the Typewriting and Shorthand Contests.

Awarding of the Pickett Cup, the Bay Path Trophy Shield, and the Association Prizes.

The officers of the association are: President, John C. Pickett; vice-president, George W. Hoyt; secretary-treasurer, Miss Margaret M. McGinn.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING LAST SATURDAY

The special town meeting was held at 1:30 Saturday afternoon at the town hall with less than 100 voters present. S. E. Walker was elected moderator. Most of the articles had to do with the transferring of town funds from one account to another in order to use them for town expenses this year; \$200 was voted to add to the \$300 already voted in February for the bronze tablet to the World War veterans. The article in regard to the town laying a sewer pipe through the southern part of Main street was passed over.

BOYS' BRIGADE DRILL IN COMPETITION

The competitive drill of the Boys' Brigade will take place on Friday evening, May 24 at Skinner gymnasium. This is an open evening for all friends of the boys.

Betsy Holton Moody lived a sweet, useful life and died at age 92. Over one half the people who died in Northfield last year were over 70. With this in mind read Ernest O. Holton's ad in this issue. Advt.



A Typical New England Trout Brook

This one happens to be in our own town

Local Odd Bits o' News

Miss Dorothy Grout, a graduate of Northfield Seminary and of Peter Bent Brigham hospital, Boston, was the week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. Abbie Grout at Louis Davis' for the week-end. She has now a position at Bellevue hospital, New York city.

Miss Margaret Piggott spent the week-end with Mary Hayes in Millers Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hodgkins of New Haven, Conn., were week-end guests of her sister, Mrs. T. A. Clark.

Mrs. J. A. Stebbins has been visiting her sister, Mrs. William Dunham in Glastonbury, Conn.

A. R. Levering has returned from the winter spent at Lake Charm, Fla. Their photographic studio is now ready for business.

Miss Fannie Hatch spoke at a meeting of the New London Northfield club on Saturday. Mrs. Elizabeth Pattison Langworthy, protégée of the former principal of Northfield Seminary, Miss E. S. Hall, is president of this club.

Acting Principal Frank L. Duley was the guest of honor of the Hampshire County Northfield club on Saturday at the Y. W. C. A. of Northampton. Miss Mary E. Greer, formerly of Northfield Seminary faculty, is president of this club.

Colonel Herman Dowd of Orange, N. J., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. F. W. Pattison.

Mrs. E. F. Howard is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Batchelor of Wallingford, Vt.

Rev. and Mrs. Burr N. Timble of Meriden, Conn., are guests of her sister, Mrs. W. P. Stanley.

Mrs. Arthur Brainard and Mrs. Charles Andrews of Glastonbury, Ct., are guests of Miss C. L. Mason and Miss Mary J. Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis R. James of North Adams and Miss Carrie Legate of Charlestown were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry James.

Officials of the Franklin County jail at Greenfield were in town with a large truck on Tuesday collecting furniture to be repaired at the jail.

Dr. and Mrs. N. P. Wood arrived at their home here on Friday evening of last week from the winter spent in El Monte, Calif. Many friends are happy to have them home again.

Mrs. George Foreman and Miss Margaret Foreman arrived at their Main street residence from Portsmouth, Va., on Thursday of this week. All are glad to have the Foreman's return.

Mrs. M. E. Birdsall and sons returned last Saturday from a visit in Portland, Maine, with her aunts.

Mrs. James Broderick has gone to live with her son, John Broderick and family of Florence, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watson have been spending three weeks at their place on Warwick avenue. They formerly lived here and now live in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bittinger arrived from Santa Paula, Calif., last Saturday morning, making the trip by automobile.

Mrs. Allen H. Wright spent the week-end with her daughter, Vera Wright, a student at Mass. Agricultural college at Amherst. Over one hundred mothers were guests at the college on Sunday and a special program and luncheon were arranged for this occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kelley and two children of East Milton were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hale of Main street, her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wright spent Mothers' Day with their daughter, Mrs. Harold Goodnow in Springfield.

Dr. and Mrs. A. N. Thompson were expected to arrive at their home here yesterday from their winter at Cocoa-nut Grove, Fla.

The Birthplace is closed to guests for a few weeks while interior repairs are in progress.

Miss Doris Chamberlain and friend, Florence Meecham of Hartford will spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Chamberlain.

The executive committee of the Fortnightly which includes Mrs. C. H. Webster, Mrs. W. P. Stanley, Mrs. Charles Leach, Mrs. E. W. Brown, Mrs. G. G. Stearns and Mrs. Chas. Streeter, will serve luncheon at noon on Saturday to those in charge of the clinic at Alexander hall.

Miss Annie Campbell is visiting her sister in Brooklyn, N. Y. Her sister, Miss Elizabeth Campbell of Milwaukee, Wis., is spending this month at the Campbell home.

John Phelps and his step-daughter, Miss Victoria Sankey, left on Tuesday for Ramble Lakes, Maine, for several weeks where they plan on lake fishing.

Carlton L'Hommedieu, organist, and Miss Eleanor Sands, soprano soloist, gave a recital at Russell Sage chapel Sunday evening which many enjoyed.

E. S. Frary is making many improvements at his place, formerly the Whittle property. He is having an excellent road constructed from Highland avenue to his place. John Callaghan is remarking the road.

A three-act play "The Dead of Night" will be given by talent from the Congregational church of Millers Falls in the town hall on Monday evening, May 20. This is given under the auspices of the Men's club of Unitarian church.

Kenneth Woodbury has finished work at the Northfield Pharmacy. Mrs. William Shattuck is working there now.

Fred Irish is having his store painted and also the front. The interior will be white, the front red and the trimmings blue in accordance with the colors of the Nation Wide Grocers, a chain of retail stores.

G. T. Bailey and mother, Mrs. Mary W. Bailey, spent the first of the week with Mrs. F. B. Caldwell on their way from Newport, N. H., to New Haven, Conn.

Miss Katherine Dale of the central telephone office is in New York for a two weeks' vacation.

Prof. and Mrs. H. H. Morse spent the week-end in Milton and Boston.

Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Griffith were called to Watertown, N. Y., unexpectedly on Monday by the critical illness of her father.

Mrs. Charles R. LaBella of Deerfield, Fla., has arrived in Scranton, Pa., where she is visiting her relatives and friends enroute to East Northfield. On May 20 Mrs. A. A. Weinshenck and son will accompany her. Mr. Weinshenck expects to play on the golf links at the Hotel Northfield. He is connected with R. H. Brooks and Co., brokers in Scranton, and was in Lafayette college when Rev. Elliott Speer was chaplain there.

Mrs. LaBella and sister will visit Boston and vicinity with friends and attend the General Federation of Women's clubs at Swampscott from May 27 to June 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Dowd of Springfield spent Mothers' Day with her mother, Mrs. F. C. Britton.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Glebel are in Boston for a few days this week.

Mrs. W. C. Roberts has left Northfield and gone to Lisle, N. Y., to be with her daughter, Mrs. D. McD. Olmstead.

Mrs. C. P. Buffum is now at her home and somewhat better.

Andrew (Andy) Sargis, physical director at Mount Hermon school for boys, has been granted an examiner's certificate in Red Cross life-saving work. The application was approved by Edson W. Fobes, special examiner.

Rev. E. Ballenger of Omaha, Neb., will conduct a series of lectures at the Free Methodist church (old Masonic hall) beginning May 22nd, for a week.

FOUR OF OUR LOCAL STORES JOIN UP WITH NATION WIDE GROCERS

F. A. Irish, Buffum's Store, Wyatt's and Barber Brothers Start their Campaign Next Thursday.

Several of our local stores are joining up with the Nation Wide Grocers, a cooperative chain-store system, with individual ownership of stores retained. F. A. Irish, Northfield; Buffum's Store, South Vernon; Wyatt's and Barber Brothers stores in Bernardston; are members of the new organization. This section comes under the Keene division of which the Abbott Grocery company of Keene are the whole-salers.

The Nation Wide Service Grocers are stated to already number upward of 2000 stores in New England and steadily growing. Their central office is at 60 India street, Boston. Their plan includes the power of buying in large quantities, reducing overhead by standardizing systems, increasing the turnover by advertising, reducing the capital investment by frequent stocking as needed, etc., all along the lines of the best chain-store practice, leaving the store owner to devote himself solely to the selling side of the business under the best conditions.

In this way, if the theory is well worked out in actual practice, the individual owner expects both increased sales and a larger measure of profit upon his invested capital. It seems to be the logical way to meet the competition of the corporation chain-store systems that are fast reaching the point of domination in a number of retail lines. Like all cooperative enterprises the success depends upon the loyalty and faithfulness of each and everyone cooperating, from the managers down to the lowliest employee.

ANOTHER FIRE IN HIGH-LAND AVENUE DISTRICT

The barns and sheds at the corner of Highland avenue and Moody street were burned down Saturday. This is the second fire in the vicinity of late and the origin of neither fire has been ascertained.

The barns were owned by the heirs of Mrs. Elizabeth Moody Washburn of Racine, Wis., nephews and nieces of the late D. L. Moody and were in charge of Atty. William A. Davenport of Greenfield. They were empty.

They stood just across the street from a Northfield Seminary dormitory and The Birthplace and only prompt and vigorous efforts by the Fire Department saved these properties. The burned buildings were dilapidated and have been an eyesore for years. They are valued at \$1000.

VILLAGE IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY MEETING

A meeting of the Village Improvement society was called to order by the president, A. H. Mattoon at 7:45 p. m. Monday. There were nine members present. The secretary's report was read and approved and the auditor's report, signed by the auditor, was read and approved. Reports showed a balance available of \$161.07. The money expended on the plot around the Belcher Fountain and the plot north of the fountain was \$187.30.

The officers elected for the coming year are: President, A. H. Mattoon; vice-president, Dr. A. N. Thompson; secretary, Mrs. R. W. Merrifield; treasurer, F. W. Kellogg; executive committee, J. F. Bittinger, Mrs. Iola Hodgen; auditor, L. R. Alexander.

Dr. and Mrs. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Merrifield and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haskell were voted in as new members.

An appropriation of \$20 for the care of the plot around the Belcher Fountain was granted as was an appropriation of \$50 for use by the tree warden. It was moved and seconded that all the residents of Main street be petitioned to mow their lawns in front of homes before the 50th anniversary of the Seminary. An appropriation of \$20 was granted for same.

A short discussion followed in which Mr. Haskell spoke on the damaging of lawns on each side of the state road by thoughtless people who cut across or drove upon the lawns. These acts are liable to prosecution. The president advised that Mr. Haskell write a letter, signed by the town trustees, to the Highway Commissioner, to see what the law is for protection of improved lawns abutting the state road.

W. C. T. U. HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held Wednesday afternoon at the parlor of the Congregational church with Mrs. L. R. Alexander presiding. Devotions were conducted by Mrs. N. Fay Smith who also read a poem by Major D. W. Whittle, formerly of this town. Mrs. E. M. Morgan gave information about the W. C. T. U. meeting to be held in Shelburne Falls on Friday of this week to which many plan to go. Reports showed the union has 33 members.

The officers elected are as follows: President, Mrs. L. R. Alexander; vice-presidents, Mrs. E. M. Morgan, Mrs. Gertrude Ritter; secretary, Miss Florence L. Warriner; treasurer, Mrs. W. D. Miller assisted by Mrs. L. R. Smith.

HART-STACY NUPTIALS ON THURSDAY

Miss Emma Eloise Hart of Greenfield and East Northfield and Mr. Owen Stacy of Mount Hermon were united in marriage last Thursday evening at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Hart, 135 Conway street, Greenfield.

The ceremony, which took place at eight o'clock, was performed by Rev. Ellis E. Jones, head of the Bible department at Northfield Seminary and pastor of the Union church at Vernon, Vt., who used the double ring service. The bride wore white georgette and carried white roses. She was attended by Miss Viola Whitcomb of Hartford who wore orchid and carried a bouquet of spring flowers. The groom's attendant was Mr. Walter W. Hyde, of Mt. Hermon. A reception followed, which was attended by relatives and friends from Greenfield, Mount Hermon, East Northfield, Hatfield, and other nearby towns. Mr. and Mrs. Stacy will be at home on Birnam Road, East Northfield after June first.

Mrs. Stacy has been employed as a stenographer in the office of Mr. A. G. Moody, Kenard Hall, East Northfield for the past two years in connection with the work of the Northfield Summer Conferences, and will retain her position through the Conference season this summer. During this time she has made her home at Crane cottage spending week-ends at the home of her parents in Greenfield. She is a graduate of the Greenfield High school in the class of 1924, and of Northampton Commercial college in the class of 1927.

Mr. Stacy is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stacy of Horsley, England. He studied at Mount Hermon school, later accepting a position as carpenter at the school, in which position he is now employed.

BIG IMPROVEMENTS IN NORTHFIELD GOLF LINKS

Under the able direction of Eugene Wogan (a former pupil of Donald Ross) and others well versed in the building and maintenance of golf courses, the Northfield Hotel Golf Course has undergone changes and improvements that are meeting with the hearty approval of golf enthusiasts. "The general acclaim is a 100 per cent improvement." This statement, coupled with its undisputed beauty and natural setting, place it in the fore-front as a Connecticut Valley golfing center. The course is located on The Northfield's extensive estate surrounding the house, in the midst of a broad amphitheater formed by the Franklin Hills and encircling mountains.

These improvements were decided upon last season after a careful study and investigation of other golf courses had been made. The changes are in keeping with the latest golfing methods. Nothing has been done, however that will hamper the average golfer in presenting a score card which will give him the greatest satisfaction. In fact, special attention has been given to the average golfer and his possibilities, while at the same time the new lay-out is receiving much commendation from the more expert golfers.

Diversity is the key-note upon which these changes are made, and as the work is nearing completion, interest and anticipation is keen. Those who have watched the renovation are eager to try out the latest developments. The outstanding features are length, location, visibility, roominess of fairways, and a definiteness about each green and fairway that will be readily recognized from start to finish.

The length of holes has been considered from the standpoint of the proper club to use, in relation to its driving distance under average conditions. Monotonous holes have been reduced to a minimum. Grass tees are replacing the unsightly clay tees, and the relocation of some of the greens plus the tuning up of others should be a source of interest and enjoyment to those who patronize this course.

The fairways have wintered well and are in better form for service than at any previous springtime. A new tractor mower not only will give the course a closer clip, but will constantly smooth any rough places.

Already, enthusiastic golfers, both guests of the house and players from Northfield and surrounding towns, are enjoying the popular sport on this attractive course at The Northfield.

ANNUAL MEETING OF UNITARIAN SOCIETY

The Unitarian society held its annual meeting last week Thursday evening at the vestry, preceded by a supper in charge of Mrs. C. O. Stearns, Mrs. F. L. Tyler and Mrs. N. W. Keet. The following officers were elected: Clerk, T. E. Callender; treasurer, F. W. Williams; parish committee, Miles Morgan, Mrs. O. C. Stearns, Mrs. Keet, H. M. Haskell, Mrs. F. L. Tyler, F. A. Irish, Donald Williams; collector, Mrs. F. A. Irish; trustees, Mrs. Webster, Mr. and Mrs. Callender, Mrs. Tyler, Mr. Keet, F. A. Irish, Mrs. M. Morgan and Donald Williams.

Father Sage Says

A girl may not be able to keep a secret, but she can keep a young man guessing.

NEW ENGLAND COUNCIL MEETING AT MANCHESTER, VT.

Discussion of the significance for New England of the report of the committee on Recent Economic Changes in the United States, of which President Hoover is chairman and of which Treasurer John S. Lawrence of the New England Council is the New England member, will be the outstanding feature of the program when the New England Council, all-New England development organization, gathers for its fifteenth quarterly meeting at the Equinox House, Manchester, Vt., on June 7 and 8.

Through the courtesy of Mr. Lawrence, it is expected that members of the Hoover committee and leading New England research experts who participated in the surveys upon which the committee bases its findings will be present as speakers and as discussion leaders. In a report to the executive committee of the New England Council, Mr. Lawrence has called attention to the significance of the Hoover committee report to New England.

Another outstanding feature of the program will be the presentation of the report of the Council's cooperating committee on Farm Power, formed to expedite the electrification of rural areas in New England. The committee has now completed its investigations.

The Equinox House at Manchester will open ahead of schedule to accommodate the Council meeting. The Council's executive committee will meet at 5:30 on the afternoon of Friday, June 7. The first gathering of the full Council will be an executive session at 8 o'clock Friday evening, and other Council sessions will follow on Saturday forenoon and after-

noon. Meetings of State Councils and committees will be held early Saturday.

ONE REASON WHY IT IS PROFITABLE TO KEEP SHEEP

Blankets made from the wool of Massachusetts sheep and sold direct to the consumer will be available again this year through the plans which have been made by the State Department of Agriculture to assist the sheep raisers of the state in marketing their wool, also to supply first class blankets to those who wish a home made product. This is the fourth year that the plan of pooling the wool and making it into blankets has been tried. As in former years the men who grow the wool will be their own sales agents and will sell blankets direct to those who wish them or, in some cases, at wholesale.

The plan is simple but it has served in past years to bring a considerably better return for their wool than the farmers could get in any other way. C. D. Richardson of West Brookfield is the prime mover in the wool pool and has been responsible for its successful development. He cooperates with J. C. Cort, director of the Division of Dairying and Animal Husbandry of the State Department of Agriculture in carrying out the project.

Mr. Cort has just sent letters to about 500 Massachusetts farmers who are known to keep sheep, announcing the plans for this year. The first step in the plan is to get the wool together at convenient assembling points. These points will be the farms of Mr. Richardson, Dimon Lockwood of Topsfield, A. H. Nye of Blandford and Johnson Whiting of West Tisbury and the Middlesex County Extension Ser-

vice office in Concord and the Bristol County Agricultural school at Segreganset.

The wool is to be brought to these assembling places as soon as sheared and not later than June 20 in any case. It will then be sent to the mill where the blankets are made. Later in the season the finished blankets will be returned to each farmer in proportion to the amount of wool he turned in to the pool. It takes 11 pounds of wool as sheared to make a blanket and for every 11 pounds of wool a man turns in he will receive a blanket in return. These blankets are readily salable at \$9 each at retail. The cost of manufacture, which is paid by the farmers, is \$2.90 per blanket, leaving a net return of \$6.10 for the farmer.

Figuring at the rate of 11 pounds to the blanket the net return per pound of wool is more than 55 cents. The wool quotation on the market is about 40 cents and this is from six to eight cents higher than the farmer could get in the country if he sold his wool to the country buyers. By putting his wool into the pool the average farmer will get 20 cents a pound more for his wool than if he sold independently. Last year the wool price at the market was higher and the difference between that and the price coming from the sales of the blankets was only 12 cents a pound. This year, with the lower wool prices, the inducement to come into the pool is much greater.

The success of the Massachusetts plan of making the wool into blankets and each farmer selling his own met with considerable favorable comment from outside the state. The largest sheep breeder in Maine, W. B. Kendall of Bowdoinham, has asked if he can pool his wool, about 7,000 pounds in all, into the Massachusetts pool.

CONVICT SCULPTOR CARVES IN HIS CELL

War Veteran and College Man Shows Talent.

Raleigh, N. C.—Jack Landingham, a veteran of the World war and a college man, convicted in Buncombe county of forgery and false pretense, and sentenced to serve a total from ten to twelve years, is an artist of merit, with a leaning toward sculpture.

The youth's first work was a model of Amelia Earhart made from a newspaper photograph. The figure was carved out of concrete. The young sculptor contracted a bone felon on his hand from working so hard a surface, but he created a striking likeness of the young aviatrix.

Officials saw the statue of the girl. It is the policy of the institution to encourage the prisoners to learn useful trades. Superintendent George Ross Pou made Landingham a present of a few sacks of plaster of paris, and gave him permission to continue his artistic pursuits outside his working hours.

A newspaper likeness of "The Happy Warrior," Alfred E. Smith, on his tour through the South, caught the eye of the young sculptor. He caught the Democratic candidate in a characteristic pose. It is one of the most striking figures that the young man has accomplished to date.

Works in Cell. When Landingham lays down his pipe wrench at the end of a day of hard work, he carefully lifts a wet tow sack, beneath which is a mass of moistened plaster of paris and a hunk of modelling clay. This material the youth carries to his cell.

In his cell after supper he takes a picture and, using it as a model, adds the finishing touches to his clay outline. He places the model above the lump of plaster and starts on his masterpiece. His tools are a blunt pocket knife, a five-inch piece of steel spring, a whet stone and a small sponge.

Landingham's most recent product is a lion. At times he sat far into the night perfecting it. He has the

permission of the prison authorities to keep late hours.

Landingham has carved a very good likeness of Edwin Pou, eldest son of the prison superintendent. He has also perfected busts of the other Pou children, and one of the youngest son of Dr. J. H. Norman. Another striking example of his work is a copy of the "Dying Gladiator."

Jack Landingham was born in Knoxville, Tenn., thirty-two years ago. He spent some time as an art student at the Rice Institute in Texas. Then the war started, and young Landingham was sent overseas. He carries seven wounds in his body as the result of contact with a German machine gun nest. His companions on that adventure are dead.

He came back to this country jobless and penniless. He accepted a position with an advertising outfit—smart fellows who sold their scheme to a community and then went their way. Landingham later began business for himself.

Overlooked Formality. He worked various cities in the West before entering North Carolina. He invaded Asheville, where there is in operation an ordinance that requires each advertising agency to pay a fee of \$80. Landingham started business without attending to this formality.

The Merchants' association got behind him. He had by this time invested all his money in the proposition and had none left with which to pay his license. An automobile dealer backed out of his contract and took his license off the car. Half the merchants declined to pay their part, while the other half insisted that he carry out his contract.

The merchants threatened to have him arrested on a charge of fraud. Landingham became frightened and jumped the town. The merchants who had bit on the scheme swore out warrants for his arrest. He thought the fact he ran away would convict him, so he pleaded guilty.

Behind it all is an unrequited love affair of his college days—a romance which resulted in the other man winning the girl while Jack fought the Huns. Then came wandering over the world to forget memories of brown eyes and laughing lips; to keep his hands from modelling figures of her who first inspired him; to forget the blood-covered fields of France—wondering that landed him finally behind prison walls.

We feel like giving a certain amount of credit to one who, in trying to get right, may end up wrong, because his motive was praiseworthy. There was once a small boy who began a diary. His first entry began thus:

"Got up this morning at 7 o'clock; went to school all day till 4:30 p.m."

He showed this to his mother and she was horrified.

"Get up indeed!" she cried. "What a dreadful expression. Does the sun get up? No, it rises. You must do the same." And the grammatical woman scratched out the words.

On the next day the small boy again showed the diary with his final entry before going to bed. "Set at eight o'clock," read his mother.

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Adaptable Asparagus



WHEN you buy canned asparagus do you always buy the most economical type for your purpose? Or did you know that asparagus is packed in different styles for different ways of cooking?

In the first place, the pale green stalks may be packed either as tips or as stalks (or long spears). Both the tips and the stalks are further graded according to their thickness and range from Giant, the largest, down through Colossal, Mammoth, Large, Medium and Small. Usually asparagus is packed in a square tin, but the tips may also be purchased in small, round picnic tins.

The One Best Way

In opening a can of asparagus the can-opener, if it is the old-fashioned kind, should be run around the side of the can at the bottom to prevent jagged edges from marring the beauty of the vegetable. The preferable method is to use the new type

of can-opener which has a cutting wheel and is designed to cut the entire top off smoothly.

Some interesting methods of cooking asparagus are:

Asparagus Polonaise: Heat canned asparagus in its own liquid in a saucepan. While heating, make a sauce by melting two tablespoons butter and adding one-half cup soft bread crumbs. Sauté to a golden brown, then add one-fourth teaspoon salt. Remove from the fire, add a chopped hard-boiled egg. Arrange the asparagus on a platter, and pour the sauce over it.

For a novel luncheon dish, cut circles of bread two inches thick, and cut out the inside, making a ring. Brush over with melted butter and toast in the oven. Heat asparagus stalks in their own liquid and then place the stalks in the toast rings. Pour white sauce over and sprinkle with paprika.

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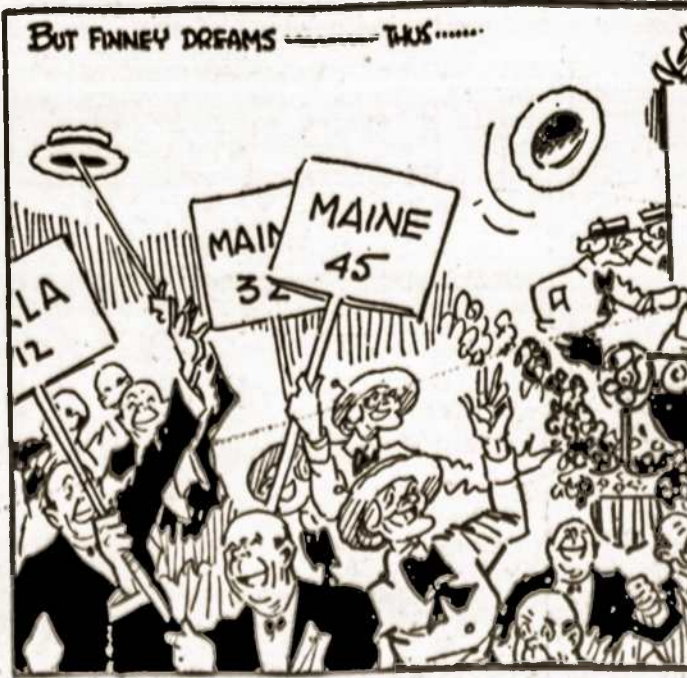
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FINNEY OF THE FORCE

By F. O. Alexander



COUNCIL OF RELIGIOUS Windham Council Meets at West

Windham Council Meets at West Brattleboro This Year

The Windham Council of Religious Education will hold a convention in the Congregational church at West Brattleboro, Vt., on Friday, May 31st. The theme of the convention will be "Crusaders with Christ." Ernest W. Dunklee, president, the presiding officer.

Morning session starts at 10 o'clock with Worship Service, Rev. Milton S. Czap, superintendent of County Administration. Following this is a business session and at 11 o'clock an address "Crusaders Through Recreation" by Rev. A. Ray Meserve, president Vermont C. E. Union. Conferences start at 11:20 under charge of Rev. A. Ray Meserve, Miss Alice M. Loop, Rev. G. Ernest Robbins, Mrs. Stella Pratt, Miss Mary Sherburne Warren, Rev. Sarah E. Aldrich, and others. Time will be taken at noon for a basket lunch, ladies of the local church serving coffee.

In the afternoon, commencing at 1:15 there will be a song fest, special music, and social and recreational hour, as well as the conference and addresses. Helpers in this portion of the program will include Rev. Paul F. Swarthout, Miss Florence H. Wells, Bruce R. Buchanan and others.

At 5:30 a supper will be served at a nominal price by entertaining church; and there will be songs, cheers, etc., with ribbon awards for the best rendered. At 7:10 a song fest, with orchestra leading and at 7:30 address "Crusaders Together" by Rev. Curry M. Spidell, pastor Baptist church, Bellows Falls, Vt. The closing will be at 8 p. m. by the County President.

Grange's Bird Day

The Massachusetts State Grange announces its 21st State Bird Day at Mount Hope Farm, Williamstown, on Saturday, May 25th. Leaders will be Raymond J. Gregory of Princeton; Dr. John B. May of Cohasset; Maurice Brown of Lenox. A most interesting program has been prepared; there will be both outdoor and indoor meetings; something doing from 6:30 a. m. right on throughout the day. Coffee will be served to basket lunchers by the Williamstown Grange at noon. Everybody welcome whether Grangers or not.

Here are the eight longest words in the English language:
Philoprogenitiveness
Incomprehensibility
Disproportionableness
Subconstitucionalist
Honorificabilitudinitatibus
Velocipedestrianism
Transubstantiation
Pronationsubstantiation

Adam died of the gout, according to an ancient document held by the Herold's college of London.

Miss Statue of Liberty spent her busiest Sunday in 1928 when on September 24 from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m., she waved welcome to 6,511 returning sea travelers.

Doctor—Did you follow my advice and drink hot water one hour before your breakfast?

Patient—I did my best Doctor, but I couldn't keep it up more than ten or fifteen minutes.

HOW MUCH DO YOU KNOW?

1. Is the peanut a nut?
2. How far does a bee travel in gathering a pound of honey?
3. What were the members of Congress paid up to the time of 1814?
4. What is the greatest advertisement in the world?
5. Where is Pygmyland?
6. Who built the great Pyramid?
7. What poem does "Water, water, everywhere, nor any drop to drink", come from?
8. What is the study of plants called?
9. What song that every American should know, did Francis Scott Key write?
10. What month of our calendar is named after Augustus Caesar?
11. What can 5x8x100x11 be multiplied by to make zero?
12. What woman refused to leave her mother-in-law and afterward became an ancestor of Christ?

Features the Beige



This model carries out the beige shade in the printed blouse, in the trimmings and on the patent leather slippers. A tailored bow on the hipstep is lined with beige leather which emphasizes the arch of the foot.

Greenfield

Three Plays Staged

Under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of St. James' Episcopal church and for the benefit of this church, arrangements have been made for the presentation of three one-act plays to be staged in St. James' Parish hall on the evening of Wednesday, May 22, by local players under the direction of Mrs. George U. Hatch. Music will be by the high school orchestra under the direction of Charles Woodbury, superintendent of music in the public schools. The plays are "The Valiant", by Holdsworth Hall, "The Weak Spot", and "The Flattering Words", by George Kelly. Mrs. Lowell Talbot is at the head of the ticket committee.

DRIVING CONDITIONS ON MOHAWK TRAIL

The Mohawk Trail is closed between Charlemont and North Adams but is open from Greenfield through Shelburne Falls to Charlemont. A report of road conditions published recently indicated that the Trail was closed between Greenfield and North Adams. Mrs. Chester Wiley and Mrs. S. W. Wilbur of Charlemont drove to North Adams last Saturday afternoon by way of Zoar, Hoosac Tunnel, Readsboro and Heartwellville and report a fine dirt road all the way. There are no mud holes. The road is not as wide as the Trail in spots but there are plenty of turning out spots. They met a number of cars during their trip and had no trouble in passing them.

Wild Rose Leads the Poll for the National Flower

Washington.—The wild rose has passed all other flowers in the voting on the most popular wild flower. Of 83,023 votes cast received in a nation-wide campaign the wild rose leads with 31,300 votes.

The columbine is next with 14,000 votes and the goldenrod third with 10,400.

Campaigns are on in 21 states through women's clubs and schools. In all the campaigns the wild flowers are studied over a period of weeks before the day set for the votes.

The American Nature association, which is conducting the poll for the most popular wild flower, reports that philox, violet and daisy are running strong, while dogwood and mountain laurel are holding their own.

Sensitive About Legs

Baltimore, Md.—Mrs. Elizabeth Justice had a husband who was sensitive about his bow legs. Accusing her of laughing at him, the husband left home, never to return. She was granted a divorce.

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But raced ahead pell-mell.
The doctor told the sexton
And the sexton tolled the bell.

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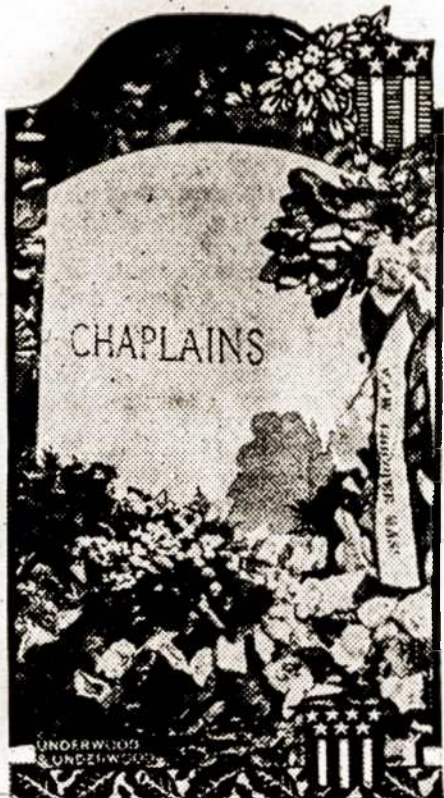
Honor to "Unknown"

You are but one of all of those of whom
All that is surely known is that they died;
The thousands, through the ages, that war's
side
Has caught unknown and swept away to
doom!
But who you are that lie within this tomb,
How much that means to every weary-eyed
Woman bereft, whose heart dwells at your
side,
Because she may have borne you in her womb!
On this fair consecrated hill of fame,
Near mighty chieftains in the peaceful grass,
You rest within your stone warmed by the
sun,
And with the love that, being unknown, you
claim
Of many mothers knowing each, alas,
Not that you are but may be her lost one!
—Washington Star.

Country Does Well to Honor Army Chaplains

A bronze tablet has been erected in the Arlington National cemetery on which are inscribed the names of 23 army chaplains who died, some on the field of action and some of wounds, during the World war. Thirteen denominations are represented in the list and in many cases the records of the chaplains show citations or other official recognition of the valor with which they carried out their missions under fire.

To those valiant dead it is fitting that full honor be paid. Their work was that of non-combatants. They carried no guns but they fought in the trenches. Their mission was one of peace, one of comfort and cheer. More often they carried rough and ready comfort than the stereotyped speech and dogma of the pulpit, but for that



reason it was doubly effective. Cheering the living, comforting the dying, they performed a heroic service and wrote a splendid chapter in the history of the World war.

Notice to Our Patrons

Notwithstanding signs posted by the State Highway Department, the way to HOMESTEAD will be open and unimpaired during the construction of the new road and will be accessible at all times.

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Deerfield

About thirty members of the Franklin Northfield club met last Saturday in Potter's Shack on Pocumtuck mountain for their annual meeting. Mrs. Richard Watson of Mt. Hermon is president of the organization; Mrs. Homer Nims of East Northfield, vice-president; Mrs. Edna McElroy of Orange, secretary and Miss Bidwell of Sunderland, treasurer. The business meeting was followed by a basket lunch, speeches and reminiscences. The purpose of the club is to keep the memory of Northfield fresh in the minds of former seminary students and alumni and to furnish ways and means to aid in carrying out the ideals of the founder of the school, Dwight L. Moody.

Lake Pleasant

Recent arrivals in camp were Mr. and Mrs. George Casson and daughter Mr. Loretta, Mrs. Martin and three children of Middletown, Conn., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barron of Schenectady, N. Y., and Mrs. Mabel Shean and Mrs. Pape of New York.

The first whist party of the season was held Saturday night at Alliance hall. Prizes were won by Mrs. Bertha Sauter, Mrs. Bessie Newton and Clarence Smith.

A forest fire starting on the Plain road Saturday afternoon did extensive damage through the adjoining woods. Mr. and Mrs. Tony Schultz, who were entering from the state road, had a narrow escape from the blaze. The car was badly damaged.

3,000-Horse Power Engine Built
Vienna.—A 3,000 horse-power railway locomotive, said to be the largest and most powerful in Europe, has been built here for use on steep Alpine grades. Auxiliary engines as pushers on mountain routes are entirely dispensed with by the new locomotive.

DIPPING INTO
SCIENCE

Why Flowers Are Not
Green
Flowers are not green because if they were they would not be noticed by insects. The propagation of flowering plants depends upon pollination with others like it. Insects traveling from one flower to another do most to bring about this fertilization which makes for reproduction. The colors of petals help the insect find the flowers.
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"Yes'm," piped up little Robert, "he was a poet."

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Friday, May 17, 1929

Editorial

OUR EDITORIALS WILL HELP TO PULL DOWN THE PILLARS OF THE TEMPLES TO FALSE GODS

The big corporations, financial, transportation, industrial, commercial, . . . government departments, politicians and statesmen . . . leaders of all kinds . . . subscribe to clipping agencies for any items appearing in the public press of the country along lines in which they are specially interested. The most important of these clipping agencies subscribe for this newspaper. Consequently, even if we are located in this "neck of the woods" we always get a quick comeback on anything we say or do that has any punch to it.

For instance: Our Clean Up, Paint Up, Fix Up campaign, recently concluded, is bringing us words of approval from all kinds and conditions of people all over the land; and, our editorial in issue of May 3rd, "If Stock and Market Gambling Only Hurt the Gamblers It Would Not Nevermind. . . But" is now flooding our mail with relative matter from the president of the New York Stock Exchange, amongst others. And so on.

The point is (for the benefit of anybody who happens to read this) that although only one of many thousands of country weeklies, assumed to more or less reflect the thought and tendencies of several millions of sturdy yeomanry, what we say and do has much more than a merely local effect upon the life, liberty and pursuit of happiness of our readers. Cheerio.

ARE WE WORTHY OF THE HERITAGE THAT OUR GRANDSIRERS HAVE HANDED DOWN TO US?

We had the opportunity the other day of glancing over some little hand drawn maps of Northfield as it was in the days of the past. To our amazement we noted that these maps showed our town a veritable hive of industrial activity and consultation with some of our elders confirmed the truth of these maps in each and every particular.

Not so many years ago Northfield was fairly dotted with workshops and industrial plants, none of them of any great size but, in the aggregate furnishing abundant labor opportunity for the countryside, especially during the winter months.

Here was the answer to the question that (as a newcomer) we had asked ourselves more than once. Here was where much of the wealth and prosperity that this town now enjoys must have originated. Our predecessors and ancestors produced it and we are benefiting by the results of their labors.

And so follows the natural query: Do we deserve it? Are we in any way bearing their torch? With practically no mart for labor in Northfield nowadays (aside from the Moody activities) and with all our fine boys and girls leaving us as fast as they grow up, to strengthen and adorn other communities. . . . Are we the real kind of folks that most of us seem to think we are? Or, what are we?

Northfield! Northfield! We love you but we fear the judgment of our rugged old revolutionary and colonial ancestors. Do their spirits gaze down with reproach and horror upon the way we are handling the marvelous little town that they wrought out for us, with no little pain and blood and suffering. We wonder?

OTHER TOWNS ARE DOING IT. . . . NORTHFIELD CAN DO IT TOO. . . . WHY NOT?

There is present in every community, some local asset which, if developed will make possible a larger measure of prosperity for the community. Sometimes it is difficult to see, but a careful survey of every community and small town in the land will reveal some asset that can be developed that will furnish an outlet for raw materials produced in the community and employment for the idle labor as well as for those who otherwise would have to migrate elsewhere to earn their living.

Every section of the country presents its own peculiar problems in this respect. The coal and iron and mineral regions present problems entirely different from those of the agricultural sections, but each in its own way can furnish something that the world wants and will buy.

The leaders of every community should make a careful survey of the community; find out what are the natural things for that community to do and then concentrate upon them. In our case it might be catering more strenuously for the tourist trade, reopening the granite quarry, offering inducement for industrial plants to come here, cooperating locally in establishing small wood-working plants, canning and pickling and preserving plants, etc. etc. The point is to discover the things that will best fit in with the surroundings, the climate, the soil, the weather conditions, the labor supply, the transportation facilities and all elements entering into industry.

Northfield has some things that no other town or community has. She should discover what these are and then center all effort and resource into their development. This has been the plan that has been followed in communities that have achieved a notable success in the establishment of local industry. It can be done in Northfield because a thousand towns like ours, with no more resource or opportunity are doing it every day.

Answers to "How Much Do You Know"

1. No. It belongs to the same family as the pea and bean.
2. A bee flies approximately 43,776 miles.
3. \$6.00 per day when on duty.
4. The advertisement of Citroen cars in France.
5. It is an uncivilized country in the interior of New Guinea.
6. Cheops.
7. The name of the Ancient Mariner.
8. Botany.
9. The Star Spangled Banner.
10. August.
11. Zero.
12. Ruth, afterward the wife of Boaz.

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Story Without Words



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The cast is headed by May McAvoy, Louise Fazenda and Edward Everett Horton, with Alec B. Francis, Holmes Herbert, Mathew Betz, John Miljan, Otto Hoffman, Joseph W. Girard and Frank Austin. Alec B. Francis, remembered for his marvelous performance in "The Return of Peter Grimm," "The Music Master" and "The Lion and the Mouse" plays the part of Dr. Redmayne, who with his daughter Olga, May McAvoy, occupies the old mansion. Mr. Francis plays the part of a miserly and furtive octogenarian.

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DARTMOUTH PRESIDENT ELECTED MEMBER OF NEW ENGLAND COUNCIL

The election of Dr. Ernest Martin Hopkins, President of Dartmouth College, as a member of the New Hampshire Division of the New England Council, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late William S. Rossiter, has been announced. President Hopkins has long been interested in the New England Council, and Council, to fill the vacancy in Vermont last June.

Before assuming the presidency of the college at Hanover in 1916, Dr. Hopkins had spent six years in organization work for various industrial concerns in Chicago, Boston, and Philadelphia. During the war he served as assistant to the Secretary of War in charge of industrial relations, and represented the war department on the War Labor Policies Board. He is a director of the Boston and Maine Railroad, and a trustee of the Institute of Economics, Industrial Relations Councils.

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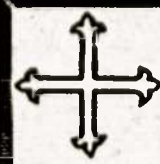


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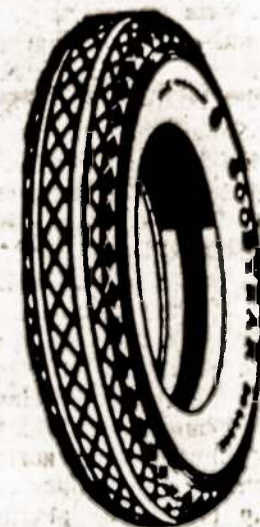
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Rev. F. W. Pattison was present at our last Sunday evening service in Union hall and gave us a sermon very appropriate to the day, Mothers' Day.

The Boy Scouts of this place opened their baseball season on last Wednesday with a twilight game with a team picked from the older players of this place. The Scouts had no trouble in winning by the score of 6 to 0.

The Old Folks dance in Union hall last Friday evening drew a large crowd.

George Field has moved from the place owned by Mrs. Hattie Wood which he has occupied for several years to the place on Federal street, Montague, next to the George Goddard place owned by Henry Day.

Harold Clough suffered a painful accident at his work in the Millers Falls Co. on Tuesday when the press he was working on broke and caught his right hand, cutting off the forefinger just back of the finger-nail. George Field took him in his auto to the office of Dr. Hubbard of Greenfield where his injured hand was dressed.

The Ladies' Benevolent society held a meeting in the library on Wednesday afternoon when a quilt was tied.

Mrs. C. L. Gilbert attended the meeting of the Franklin County Northfield club at Deerfield last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Maymie Hastings Slade of Quincy, formerly of Northfield, called on old friends here last week.

Mrs. Eva Stacy visited her son, Leon Starkey in Greenfield two days last week and also called on her cousin, Rev. D. A. Hudson of Charlestown.

Bradley Fuller and friend of Worcester called on his cousin, Mrs. C. L. Gilbert on Sunday.

As a result of the blasting for the ditches on the new state road, thirteen window panes were broken at the home of Malcolm Billings on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Luey of Worcester have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Luey.

Henry Devine of Greenfield was a recent visitor at Frank Howe's.

Mount Hermon

Mr. C. W. L'Hommiedieu of the Mount Hermon Music Department gave a recital at Sage Chapel last Sunday afternoon, May 12th. He was assisted by Miss Sands of the Seminary.

Miss Anna L. Miller, Librarian at Mount Hermon School, left Sunday the 12th, for Washington, D. C., where she will attend the week's sessions of the National Library association.

She will visit friends in New York city. Miss Sallie M. Clough went to Hartford last Friday and on Saturday went with friends to New Haven to attend the meetings of the Connecticut Valley association of French teachers.

Mrs. R. L. Watson has been confined to the house for some days with a gripple cold.

Miss Nichols returned last week from her visit with relatives in Reading.

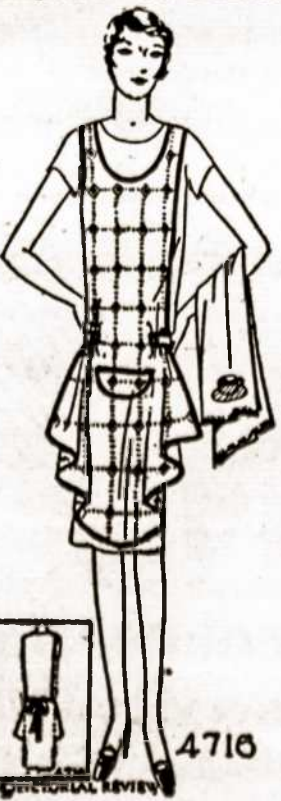
Mrs. Renie Ingram entertained several guests from Philadelphia last week.

The Ellinwoods, at London House, entertained Mr. Ellinwood's brother of Amherst college last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Stark have been visiting the Sillmans of New Haven for a few days.

The Women's Literary society had a delightful meeting last week Thursday, the 9th at the home of Mrs. Wolfert G. Webber, East Northfield. The assisting hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Horace H. Morse, Mrs. Howard and Mrs. W. D. Miller. The program was on American Art on which subject Mrs. Carroll G. Ross read the paper of the evening, assisting her, Mrs. S. A. Norton, Miss Armstrong, Miss Ida Fendel and Miss Baker gave a brief talk on the Contribution of the Mayas to Modern Architecture, Modern Applied Design, Ultra Modern Painting and American Painting as shown in a Recent Exhibit in New York city.

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A one act play entitled "The Last Game" was presented by Mrs. Renie Ingram, Mrs. Carroll Ross and Mrs. Louis Smith. At the business meeting Mrs. Ross was chosen as chairman for the next year to succeed Mrs. Cutler.

Among those who spent the week-end in or round Boston were the following on the 15th: Miss Helen Forsyth at her home in Arlington, Miss Ida E. Fendel, at her home in Lawrence; Arthur P. Platt, Stoughton Mass., Miss Mary T. Baker with friends in Newton Center, and "Irish" Thompson in Malden. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll G. Ross spent part of the day Sunday in Wellesley Hills at Mrs. Ross's home.

L. Lorimer Drury, Alumni Secretary, attended a meeting of the Publication committee of the Mount Hermon Alumni association, held Saturday afternoon at the home of the chairman George S. Hurst, '99, in Hartford.

Mr. Drury brought back his step-mother, Mrs. Lucian L. Drury, of North Stonington, Conn., who will spend some days with the Drury family on the hill.

Last Saturday evening, as a number in the regular Entertainment course, Mr. Glenn W. Douglass, of Woronoco, Mass., gave a dramatic reading, "The Man Who Didn't Know Much", in Memorial chapel.

West Northfield South Vernon

A daughter was born, Friday, May 10 to Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGaffigan. She is under the care of Dr. Burnett of Brattleboro.

Mrs. Ella Beers, who has been ill for about two weeks with cold and gripple is improving. She sits up part of the time. She is under the care of Dr. Grace Burnett of Brattleboro.

Mrs. Arthur Jackson spent Tuesday with her nephew, Leslie Streeter in Northampton, Mass.

Miss Gladys Streeter, who works at Kenhome, East Northfield, spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Streeter.

Perry Dawley, Jr., of Brattleboro was a week-end guest of his sister, Mrs. H. E. Lane.

A family reunion of 9 people was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jillson last Sunday in honor of Mothers' Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Gebo of Shelburne, Mass., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cushman.

The usual Sunday morning services will be held next Sunday at 10:45 a. m. by the pastor, Rev. George E. Tyler. At 12:05 the church school meets.

Sunday evening the people from the South Vernon church and the Union church of Vernon will hold a united service at the Vernon chapel at 7:30 p. m. All services on standard time.

Mrs. Frank B. Bolton, who has been quite ill in bed for about two weeks, remains the same at this writing. She is under the care of Doctors McSweeney and Aldrich of Brattleboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Copeland and daughter, Lucille, of Waterbury, Ct., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cushman.

Horace Ennis of Northampton is a guest of his mother, Mrs. Julia Ennis. Frank Wilson of Putney, Vt., was a week-end guest of Mrs. Ennis. He has employment at the Alken Nursery.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Allen and son, Robert, Jr., spent Sunday in Williamsburg, Vt., with Mrs. Allen's mother, Mrs. Luke Morse. Mrs. Morse has not been as well since she returned home.

Rev. and Mrs. John S. Purdy of Plainville, Conn., came Saturday to live at the Vernon home.

The semi-annual business meeting of the directors of the Vernon Home was held Wednesday at the Home.

Mrs. George E. Tyler attended the meeting of the Franklin County Northfield club held at Deerfield last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lackey of Morrisville, Vt., were recent guests of his sister, Mrs. W. B. Dunklee.

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John 6:51. I am the living bread which came down from heaven: if any man eat of this bread, he shall live for ever: and the bread that I will give is my flesh, which I will give for the life of the world.

PRAYER—Feed me, I Thou Bread of Life, till I want no more.

Maxine—What's the difference between a boy and a horse? Marion—I don't know.

Maxine—You must have some wonderful dates!—(Pathfinder).



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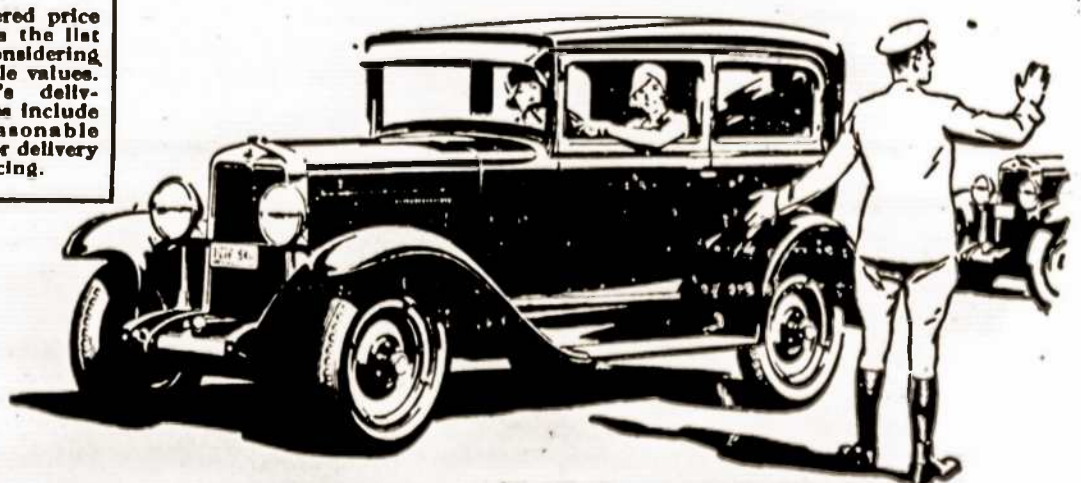
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Millers Falls

Several Millers Falls people, among them women, went up in airplanes last week during the air carnival held on the White Coal farm, between this town and Turners Falls.

The Millers Falls Fire department, along with the Boy Scouts, did some wonderful work at the big forest fire on the Montague Plains Saturday. The highway between Millers Falls and Turners Falls was blocked for a short time, traffic being sent over the Lake Pleasant road.

Rev. Charles G. White of the Congregational church spoke on "Mothers' Love" for the Mothers' Day sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Maynard and son were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nolen Maynard of New Street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bardsley of Worcester, Mass., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Boissonneault of Forest street.

Philip and Leo Boissonneault are doing the carpenter work at the Walter Sherwood restaurant which will open shortly.

Among the Millers Falls folks who enjoyed airplane rides at the air carnival were Leo and Philip Boissonneault.

"The Dead of Night," a play presented by the Young People's Forum of the Congregational church, will present it in the town hall, Northfield on Monday evening, May 20 under the auspices of the Men's club of the Unitarian church.

Miss Elizabeth Dykes has now returned to the Turners Falls High school, having made rapid recovery from a slight fracture of the jaw and other bruises suffered when the automobile in which she and five students overturned on the South Deerfield road after a junior prom in Turners Falls two weeks ago.

Members of Bay State lodge of Masons are asked to attend the lodge of instruction to be held at South Deerfield Wednesday, May 29.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Taggart entertained Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Snow of Hartford, Conn., last week-end.

Miss Margaret Piggott of Northfield spent the week-end with Miss Mary Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. James Griffin of Providence, R. I., were week-end guests of Mrs. Mary Kavanagh of New Street.

Harry McCullough and daughter, Olive, and Mrs. Thomas Berard returned from Yonkers, N. Y.

Miss Alice Moulton, former teacher, now of Lisbon, N. H., visited with friends in town over the week-end.

Mrs. Elizabeth Towne of Pleasant street entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fred Spaulding of Athol over the week-end.

Walter Sherwood, formerly of Northfield, now of this town, will open a new restaurant in the Powers block.

Mrs. Sadie Miller of Manchester, N. H., and William Sack were married Saturday evening at Mr. Sack's home by Rev. Charles G. White, pastor of the Congregational church.

Mrs. Edmond Miller entertained her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Blackall of Greenfield on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Blackall are recently married. Mr. Blackall is a popular clerk in O'Laughlin Bros. clothing store in Greenfield.

Baseball Gossip

"Loopy" Rose certainly did curve 'em over for the Millers Falls team last Sunday and held the once powerful Shelburne Falls aggregation to four hits. Rose is there with the old stick, bagging two out of three, one of them a three base hit. Rose also struck out thirteen batters; not so bad for the beginning of the season. With the addition of a couple of more good pitchers, such as "Big John" Togneri of Turners Falls and a good portsideer, Millers Falls shouldn't find it so hard to "bowl 'em over."

King's Title in Jamaica Is That of "Supreme Lord"

Kingston, Jamaica.—This is the only British colony in the world where George V is not the king. Here he is the "Supreme Lord of Jamaica." When the agents of Cromwell broke the Spanish power in the West Indies in 1655, Jamaica took the arms of Cromwell and retains them to this day. "Supreme Lord of Jamaica" was the title assumed by Cromwell. The statue of Queen Victoria in Kingston is inscribed "Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, Empress of India and Supreme Lady of Jamaica."

Enough lip stick was used the last two years to make a cable the size of a deal pencil that would reach around the world.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Salmon attended the funeral of Fred Lord, who died in Athol on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Dunbar of High street entertained Mrs. George Dunbar of Wellesley over the week-end.

Susan Alvord, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert M. Alvord of Stevens street, entertained a number of her little friends at a birthday party at her home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Albertine McKellar of the State Department of Public Health has been in town in the interest of the Well Child conference which is to be held on June 11, 12, 13, 14, 18 and 19. Last year more than 200 children took the examination.

Judge and Mrs. James J. Leary left Monday for Burlington, Vt., where they will visit relatives for a week or ten days.

The second degree was conferred upon a class of candidates at the regular meeting of Mechanics lodge of Masons Tuesday.

Several townspeople took advantage of the air carnival and many went up in the planes. The air carnival was a decided success and it is rumored that they are to come back in about two weeks. One Turners Falls man, it is said, spent over \$100 in rides.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman P. Farwell of Marshall street attended the pageant given at Mt. Holyoke college on Saturday.

SHUMWAY'S TALK ON AVIATION AT ROTARY

Paul Shumway of the Turners Falls High school faculty spoke on the timely subject, "Aviation," at the weekly luncheon of the Rotary club Tuesday.

He followed the growth and developments of aviation from its beginning, touching on the future developments. The air mindedness of the people of the present day was emphasized. Mr. Shumway feels that the air carnival showed the need of an airport in this vicinity. The location chosen for the carnival on Montague Plains, is as good a spot as can be found in Franklin county he said. It is near enough to the main highway, and yet far enough away so that it would not be a nuisance the speaker continued. In Newark, N. J., where Mr. Shumway was stationed the port was eleven miles from the city.

Public Officials and Publicity

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK
Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

Even in my earliest youth when ambition burned most hotly within me I had no desire to become a public official of any sort. I was going to be quite contented to run a locomotive on the narrow gauge railroad which crossed the prairie a short distance from our place, or if fortune favored me in any extravagant way possibly, to be a conductor.

Charlie Hixon, our next-door neighbor's boy of my own age, once in a burst of confidence, told me that he expected to go to congress, but such distinction had no allurements for me. There was too much criticism of such an official, too much publicity, too much of getting one's name into the newspapers. A congressman could not turn around or neglect to do so without some mention being made of the fact, in a Washington press dispatch. A lot of fellows I knew wanted to be President of the United States, but not I.

Now just supposing you were king of England or President of the United States. At first thought it would seem like a lot of fun. There would be a big salary, and a fine house in which to live—several houses if you were king—and people to wait on you and to send you things and all that. It looks soft. The President gets countless things at Thanksgiving and Christmas—carloads of turkeys and fresh eggs and collie dogs, and goodness knows what sorts of things are sent to a king.

But a great public official has no privacy. He can't legitimately call his soul his own. Every move he makes is commented on. Whatever he eats or wears or dares to think about—much less to express an opinion upon—gets into the newspapers. It must be wretchedly tiresome.

Now about going to church. If you were king or President it would always be in the Saturday paper where you intended to worship the next day, if you had any intention of worshipping, and why you didn't intend to do so, if you didn't. I have wondered often if Mr. Coolidge during the summer really wanted to go to church every Sunday and listen to blind men or Scandinarvian preachers, or if he wouldn't rather sometimes stay at home and lie around reading the Sunday papers or playing with one of the dogs. But if he didn't go he would have to make up reasons to satisfy the inquisitive newspaper men and maybe his neighbor and sit quietly through the service and then to smile and wave your hand at everyone when the service is ended than it would be to explain why you stayed at home.

Nancy and I didn't go to church last Sunday. We stayed at home and had a beautifully quiet time and read James Watson's "Northanger Abbey." And do you ask us why, and we didn't put our names in the paper, but you see we are not public officials.

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Mr. Shumway was in the air service for five and one half years. He received his ground school training at Massachusetts Institute of Technology and his flight training at Pensacola, Fla. He was with the Royal Flying Corps at Fort Worth, Texas. During the war he did considerable work over seas, returning on the Leviathan in December, 1918 and was stationed at Cape May, N. J. In 1919-1920 Mr. Shumway did recruiting duty in Buffalo, N. Y., from there he returned to Hampton Roads, and then was transferred to the Pacific Air Force in San Diego, Calif. He came out of active service July 1, 1922, although he is still in reserve.

Mrs. Marion Sargent, president of the Turners Falls Women's club, is attending the meeting of the State Federation of Women's clubs at New Ocean House, Swampscott this week. Mrs. Sargent visited relatives while attending the meeting.

Mrs. Earl Chapman of Maple street spent the week in Leominster.

Mrs. Stuart McKirdy and son are visiting relatives in Malden.

Paul Shumway, a member of the Turners Falls High school faculty and who served in the aviation corps during the World War, spoke at the Rotary club luncheon Tuesday on "Aviation." His talk was very interesting.

Miss Welcome Ayer, a member of the high school faculty, who was given a leave of absence for a year, sailed from London last week and is expected to arrive in Boston today. Miss Rebecca Field, who accompanied Miss Ayer, will remain abroad for another year.

COUNTING INDIANS AN EXACTING JOB

Woman Completes Task of Listing 50,000 Navahos.

Washington.—Counting Indians may sound like a simple occupation, but Miss Rachel Jensen, who has tagged 50,000 Navahos for their great white father in Washington, found there was a trick in it.

She just has completed a census of the chiefs, medicine men, squaws, papposes—all the Indians on the Navaho reservation in northern Arizona, Utah, Colorado and New Mexico, for the Indian bureau of the Interior department.

"When I started," she said, "I walked miles and miles on roads along the canyons and—I couldn't find an Indian! I had white guides."

"Then I thought of getting an Indian guide, and when I did I found that previously I had been walking past and over Indians all the time. The Navaho guides took me down the canyons and into the recesses of the hills, and there we found large groups whose presence could not even be suspected from the upper trails."

The census was made in the ab-

sence of with communicates in the tribes. The Navaho reservation contains vast stores of undeveloped wealth, and the Indian bureau wanted to establish rolls of the tribe in order that, when the question of property rights arose, there would be no doubt as to the identity of members of the tribe.

Miss Jensen, a native of Michigan and a statistician trained at Vassar college, was in charge of the entire undertaking. She obtained two names of each Indian—his native name and the English one—and the age, sex, tribe, degree of native blood and family relationships.

She is now making a similar census of the Papago and Pima tribes in Arizona. She has a staff of white and English guides working at Indian bureau centers. One of her headquarters is the famous old San Xavier mission near Tucson.

Wife (with newspaper)—This article says that a person speaks on an average about 12,000 words a day.

Husband—I've always said you were above the average, dear.—(Tid-Bits.)

She—Mother told me to object to the use of the word "obey" in the ceremony when we are married.

He—And what did you tell her?

She—I said I'd let it stand. I told her you could take a joke as well as any man.—(Nottingham News.)

Lom Quite Uppish



He's quite "upplish" is Benny Lom—but not quite as "upplish" as would appear. That is to say, the California football player does not attain quite seven feet altitude in the broad jump, as he seems to have here. Benny ought to add a few yards to his punts on such training.

Gill

Slate Memorial Library

About 40 new books have been added to the Slate Memorial library during the past month. The list contains detective stories, western stories by Zane Grey and others, and fiction.

It is hoped that people will avail themselves of this opportunity to get acquainted with present day literature. They will find the librarian, Miss Blake very glad to assist them in finding just the book that appeals to them. Current magazines and periodicals, are on the reading tables for the free use of those desiring to read them. Children are especially invited to enjoy the books and papers on their own table.

On the honor roll of the Turners Falls High school are the following pupils from Gill: Malcolm Eddy, senior; Ruth Blake and Belle Martile juniors; Elsie Oakes and Frederick Oakes, sophomores Edwin Vasser, freshman.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Day and family spent Sunday in Wilmington, Vermont.

Joseph Zak spent the week-end at the home of his father, Frank Zak. He is a student at Rhode Island State college at Kingston, R. I.

Among those who took rides in the airplanes at the air carnival were Winston Le Vitre, Malcolm Eddy, Harold Baker, and Francis Remillard. Residents of Gill were shocked to learn of the death of Mrs. Alice Langley of Southington, Conn., formerly Alice Davis, a well known resident of this place.

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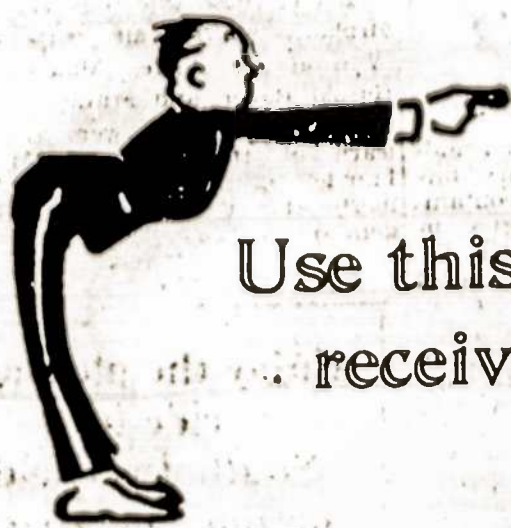
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Incorporated April 3, 1889
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Phone 12-13 Hinsdale, N. H.
Boiler Setting Fire Places a Specialty

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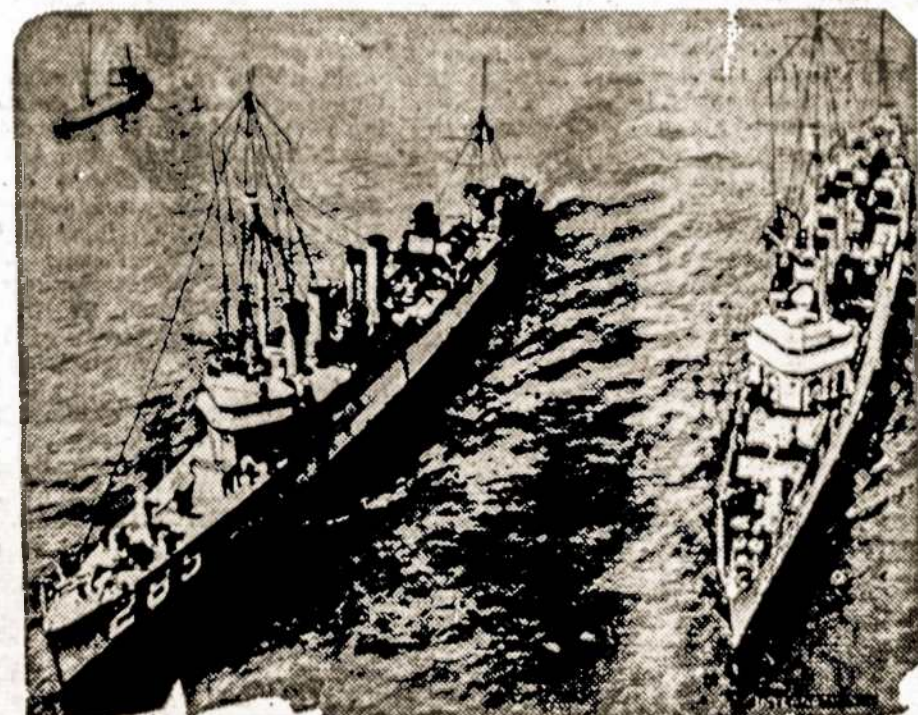
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Colrain, Mass.

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on it?

Atlantic Fleet Comes to Town



Two of the destroyers of the Atlantic fleet about to pass under Man-
hattan bridge when the fleet arrived in New York harbor after its annual
maneuvers in the Caribbean.

Selected Recipes

Parsley Butter Sauce

3 tablespoons butter
¼ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon pepper
2 tablespoons lemon juice
1 tablespoon finely-chopped parsley
Work butter until creamy, add salt
and pepper, then lemon juice and
parsley. Serve on hot fish, steak or
vegetables.

Baked Eggs

Let eggs stand for 20 minutes in
boiling water, or until yolk and white
are hard. Pour medium cream sauce
over the sliced egg (using for 1 dozen
eggs 2 cups of cream sauce, 2 cups of
milk, 4 tablespoons butter, 4 table-
spoons flour). Sprinkle one layer of
bread crumbs on bottom of baking
dish, and then a layer of cream sauce
and eggs, another layer of bread
crumbs, and a tiny bit of grated
cheese sprinkled through. Bake in hot
oven for 10 minutes until buttered
crumbs are browned.

To keep cool in the midst of great
excitement is by no means an easy
thing to do.

A few minutes after an alarm of fire
was given in a hotel, one of the guests
joined the group that were watching
the fire and chatted them on their
apparent excitement. "There was nothing
to be excited about," he said. "I
took my time about dressing, lighted
a cigaret, didn't like the knot in my
necktie, so tied it over again—that's
how cool I was."

"Fine," one of his friends remarked,
"but why didn't you put on your
pants?"

Athol

Hatchey-Paulin

Joseph L. Paulin and Miss Marie
Estelle Hatchey, both of Athol were
united in marriage on Monday morn-
ing in the Church of Our Lady Im-
maculate. Rev. Ernest Lapiere cel-
ebrated the nuptial mass. Ernest
Hatchey of Lynn, brother of the bride,
was the best man and Miss Bernice
Hatchey of Athol, sister of the bride,
was bridesmaid.

The bride was gowned in white satin
trimmed with lace. She wore a veil
and carried a shower bouquet of roses.
The bridesmaid wore a sand-colored
lace dress and carried pink roses. A
wedding breakfast was served in the
couple's new home, 128 Orange street,
in charge of Miss Bernice Hatchey.
The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and
Mrs. Andrew Paulin of Canada. He is
employed as a stationary fireman by
the Athol Mfg. Co. and has been living
in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George
Paulin of 90 Cottage street.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. August Hatchey of Canada and
has been residing in the home of her
uncle, Sam Lanteligne of 28 Sunnyside
Place. She has been employed by the
Union Twist Drill Co. A reception to
the couple was held in Franco-American
hall Monday evening.

Banker (telephoning)—"Mr. Cohen,
do you know your account is over-
drawn \$17.00?"

Mr. Cohen—"Say, Mr. Banker, look
up a month ago. How did I stand
then? I'll hold the phone."

Banker—"You had a balance of
\$400."

Mr. Cohen—"Well, did I call you
up?"

24,000 FARMERS IN SURVEY DECLARE FERTILIZER PRICES ONLY "AVERAGE"

Their Answers to Questions Show
That Most Farmers Think
Price Not High.

"As compared to other things, do
you consider fertilizer low, average
or high in price?"

This question was answered last
summer by over 48,000 farmers in 35
states.

It was one of 50 asked by represen-
tatives of the National Fertilizer as-
sociation in an attempt to find out
just what the farmer himself thinks
about fertilizer, how he uses it to
make money, and how the fertilizer
companies may further improve their
chemical plant food and their service
so the farmer may make more money.

While it is only human nature for
farmers or buyers of any product to
feel that prices are high, nevertheless
over half of the 48,000 farmers who
answered this question said they think
the price of fertilizer is only "aver-
age."

Seven per cent, or an average of 7
out of each 100 farmers who were in-
terviewed, said the price is "low."
Nearly 35 per cent, or 35 out of 100,
said it is "high." The remaining 7
out of 100 did not express an opinion
on this question.

Fertilizer Prices Low.

The Association points out that, ac-
cording to the U. S. Department of
Agriculture, fertilizer actually is the
cheapest important supply the farmer
buys, with the exception of feeds,
which are 1 per cent lower.

Prices of complete fertilizer are gath-
ered from all over the country by the
Association. An average of these shows
that fertilizer is only slightly higher
now than before the war. The Assoc-
iation finds that the price has been kept
reasonable despite the phenomenal
jump in wages of factory employees,
which have doubled since pre-war, and
an increase of 80 per cent in incoming
and outgoing freight, which makes
up about one-fourth of the price of
fertilizer. Notwithstanding these im-
portant increases in the manufactur-
er's cost, fertilizer prices at the factory
average only 9 per cent above their
pre-war level.

Though the prices of farm products
have been low, the price of fertilizer
is relatively still lower. For in-
stance, according to the latest avail-
able figures of the U. S. Department
of Agriculture, cotton and cottonseed
are 49 per cent above pre-war; fruits
are 49 per cent above pre-war; and
vegetables are 11 per cent above;
poultry products are 44 per cent above;
dairy products are 58 per cent above;
meat animals are 50 per cent above;
grains are 23 per cent above, and
the average price of all farm prod-
ucts is 36 per cent above. In contrast,
fertilizer prices at the factory average
only 9 per cent above pre-war.

Reports of the U. S. Department of
Agriculture also show that the farmer
pays an average of 56 per cent more
than before the war for all the com-
modities he buys. This is further proof
that commercial fertilizer, being only
9 per cent above, is relatively inex-
pensive as compared to the cost of
other things the farmer buys.



The names of 48,000 farmers and
their answers to 2,400,000 questions
are contained in this pile of question-
naire books, each of which contains
replies of 50 farmers.

When it is remembered that fertil-
izer returns to the farmer an average
of about \$3 for each dollar invested,
and that high yields are necessary if
the cost of production per pound of
cotton or tobacco is to be reduced, then
it seems logical that the farmer
should use more and better fertilizer
so he can make more money on his
crops this year.

In addition, it is emphasized that
the more fertilizer used in this com-
munity, the greater will be the return
to the farmers, which gives more busi-
ness to the local merchant, to the
banker and to all who do business
with the farmer, thus increasing the
general prosperity of the community.

"WANT" ADVERTISEMENTS

One cent per word per insertion; no advertisement less than twenty-five cents; three insertions for the price of two times. Special rates for standing "want" advertisements by the month. Always send cash (unused postage stamps will do) for want advertisements, as we cannot afford bookkeeping at these rates.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Buggy. Light, Stanhope style, extra good running gear. A bargain. T. R. Callender, Northfield, telephone 46-2.

FOR SALE—Choice Strawberry plants, Howard 17, \$1.00 per 100. Freshly dug and delivered. E. L. Morse, East Northfield, Mass.

FOR SALE—80 R. I. Red Chicks. Six weeks old. Price \$16. Also 75 two-weeks old \$7.00. Call 189 after 4 p. m. Mrs. J. H. Skinner, Warwick Avenue, Northfield.

FOR SALE—Three sets of garage doors, in good condition. A. E. Lyman, telephone 110.

FOR SALE—1925 Ford Touring. Best of condition, \$65.00. H. A. Reed, Northfield, Mass., phone 206.

FOR SALE—Stable Manure. Delivered if you want it. Telephone 139-23, G. H. Lyman, Northfield. Price about \$3.50 for one horse load, according to distance delivered.

FOR SALE—Harley-Davidson Motorcycle. F. W. Caldwell, East Northfield.

FOR SALE—Early 90 Day Seed Corn. L. O. Davis, Northfield, Mass. Telephone 91-13.

FOR SALE—200 Acre Farm, \$2500.00. 20 acres tillage, 150,000 timber, 500 cords wood, 6 room house, 60 foot barn. Catalogue. Hubbard Agency, East Candia, N. H.

GLADIOLUS BULBS—Having more bulbs than I shall use my surplus stock of popular varieties are offered for sale. Some are ruffled, others are plain petaled and in a variety of beautiful colors. List and price of named varieties mailed on request. Assorted not named, 35 for \$1.00. Charles F. Slate, Northfield, Mass.

FOR SALE—New uncalled for suits and topcoats at half price. Come in and see them. Open every night. Boy's and Student's Suits. Braff, Tailors and Furriers, 12 Chapman Street, Greenfield.

REAL ESTATE

TO RENT—For winter or year round, furnished first floor apartment of four rooms and bath; also garage. From Sept. 3, 1929, Miss Caroline B. Lane, 32 Highland Ave., East Northfield, Mass.

DOCTOR'S ATTENTION—Large and roomy house, fine location for either doctor's residence or private hospital. Apply C. L. Damon, 222 Market St., Brockton, Mass.

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MISCELLANEOUS

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Want Ads Bring Results

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Quality Ice

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Tel. 22-12

Ashuelot, N. H.

Miss Gertrude Allen has gone to Winchester, N. H., to work for Mrs. Guy Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Tacy and children of Winchester were Sunday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tacy's.

Members of the 4-H Busy B club held a meeting Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the third grade school room. Great progress has been made this year and most of the girls have completed their year's work.

Francis Qualters, who works in Springfield, Vt., spent the week-end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. James Byrnes of West Swanton were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Cunningham.

Miss Bertha Patenaude of Keene, Miss Veronica Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Houle and daughter, Edward Connors, all of Brattleboro, Vt., were week-end visitors at their respective homes.

Forty hours devotion was held at St. Michael's parish, beginning Sunday, May 12 and ending Tuesday morning at the special mass and benediction.

Mrs. Henry Doucette and Mrs. I. Allen attended the Woman's club May Luncheon at Winchester last week.

There will be a meeting of the Winchester High School Alumni association, May 21, Tuesday evening at Center school, Winchester. Election of officers and committees for the year will be in order. Let's see a goodly attendance in order to make it a banner affair.

Calvin Coolidge was not made president because he did not talk much, but this fact kept him out of a lot of trouble after he became president.

It is strange that in view of so many notable examples of silence and reticence in the part of famous members of the race, that the custom has not become more widespread.

Robinson Crusoe's
Man Friday
Was an Advertiser

He advertised the fact of his presence to Robinson Crusoe by his footprints in the sand.

They attracted Robinson Crusoe's attention. He was interested at once and made an investigation with the result that he found Friday.

A good, well-written advertisement is like Friday's footprints. It attracts attention and interests, and the readers will follow it through the same as Robinson Crusoe did.

Mr. Merchant when you prepare your advertisement read it over. Think. Would it interest you if it were some one else's advertisement. If not, put the things in it that will interest you. If you make it interesting to you, it will be interesting to others. If it is interesting they will read it through. Talk through your advertisements to your customers the same as though they were before your counter. Put personality into your advertisements and they will create sales.

Montague

Mt. Toby chapter, O. E. S., will hold a regular meeting Tuesday evening at 8 p. m. at the Grange hall.

Past Masters' Night of Bay State lodge is to be observed this evening at Masonic hall.

The Woman's club banquet is to be served at Montague Inn next Tuesday at 1 p. m.

The Grange will observe Neighbor's Night this evening at Grange hall.

There was a goodly attendance of mothers at church Sunday morning. Mr. Blackmer preached a sermon appropriate to the occasion.

The Christian Endeavor society conducted a very successful day evening.

Raymond Siffer who underwent an operation for appendicitis and subsequently had an attack of measles, is convalescing.

Mrs. Anna Wright entertained her daughters, Mrs. Lambert of Millers Falls and Mrs. Lawrence of Springfield, Vt., with their families on Mothers' Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mitchell of Springfield were recent guests at Dr. G. A. Cooke's.

GIRL SCOUTS HAD MOTHERS' NIGHT AT GRANGE HALL

The Girl Scouts, Miss Armstrong, captain, held a very interesting and well attended "Mothers' Night" at the Grange hall Monday evening. Supper was served at 6.30, about 40 being present. Miss Kimball, scout inspector of Springfield, was present and gave talk on scout work. The girls gave a demonstration of first aid work which they had had accomplished in order to win their first aid badges.

"GOLDILOCK'S ADVENTURE" AT TOWN HALL NEXT FRIDAY

The children of the grades will present the operetta "Goldilock's Adventure" at the Town hall next Friday evening, May 24. This is a pleasing operetta with pretty dances and catchy songs, bright dialogues and attractive costumes. School children and others who cannot attend the Friday's entertainment may see the operetta Thursday afternoon when the dress rehearsal will be given. The children are being drilled by Mr. Smith and Miss Alber; the dances were taught by Miss Masters; costumes are being made by a committee of which Miss Rush is chairman. An advance sale of reserved seat tickets will be conducted at 3.15 Monday and Tuesday at the town hall.

P. T. A. Meeting

The last P. T. A. meeting of the season was held Tuesday evening at the schoolhouse with an attendance of 65. Various matters of business were transacted and committees appointed. Reports of the recent P. T. A. conference held in Greenfield were given by Mrs. Beldwell, Mrs. Lyman and Mrs. Washburn. An entertainment was given. Vocal solos were rendered by Mrs. Bryce and Mrs. Billings; piano duets by Arlene Buckmaster and Lucille Webber and by Mary Murphy and Gertrude McCarthy; two playlets were given by children of the 4th and 5th and upper grades; the girls' glee club sang several songs. Refreshments were served after the meeting by members of the Mothers' Study group.



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9.45 A.M. Bus 6.35 P.M.
Southbound to Greenfield, etc.
5.40 A.M. 8.49 Bus 6.40 A.M.
1.09 P.M. 5.10 Bus 3.40 P.M.

SUNDAY
5.40 A.M. Bus 10.40 A.M.
3.14 P.M. Bus 3.40 P.M.
Northbound to Keene, etc.
9.10 A.M. 10.16
4.35 P.M.
Southbound to Greenfield, etc.
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Sundays
10.44 A.M. 3.44 P.M.

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Northfield Station
Eastern Standard Time
Southbound Trains
8.47 A.M. 1.14 P.M.
Northbound Trains
9.06 A.M. 8.09 P.M.

C. V. R. East Northfield Sta.
Trains arrive from North
8.30 A.M. 8.42 A.M.
12.55 P.M. 8.13 P.M.
Trains leave for South
8.43 A.M. 4.40 P.M.
Trains arrive from South
9.10 A.M. 8.16 P.M.
Trains leave for North
9.10 A.M.
4.29 P.M. 8.16 P.M.

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Northfield

NORTHFIELD GRANGE
HAS INSPECTION AND
DEGREE WORK

The regular meeting of Northfield Grange on Tuesday included inspection and working several degrees. Inspection was under the eye of Deputy Clark from Montague and there were visitors present from Montague Grange as well as from Guiding Star of Greenfield, Warwick, Bernardston and others.

During the intermission there was an excellent program of speaking, story and song, and refreshments were served and seemed highly appreciated. A committee of some of the younger members are getting up an old-fashioned country dance to be held at Grange hall on the evening of either the day before or the day after Memorial Day. From the personnel of the committee we know that it is going to be an affair that nobody will want to miss so watch next week's Press for the date to be selected.

Y. M. C. A. PHYSICAL
DIRECTORS CONFERENCE

The 10th annual conference of physical directors of Y. M. C. A.'s of Massachusetts and Rhode Island convened at The Northfield Hotel Tuesday evening. The directors with their wives number about 80. George R. Listman of Boston, state director, is manager of the conference which closes Friday evening.

"BIRD DAY" ENJOYED
AT SEMINARY

Early Monday morning President Elliott Spear announced at all the seminary dormitories that that day would be the annual holiday of Bird Day. This day is happily anticipated by the school.

The campus was deserted all day, many groups of students and faculty going in busses or automobiles for long rides, some to Keene, N. H., to Dublin Lake, N. H., to visit the four colleges by the college circuit, others to Mt. Monadnock. Many groups hiked to Old Orchard, Hog's Back, Rainbow's End, Lover's Retreat, Lynamaker Lake, Cathedral Pines, the Reservoir, Bonar Glen and other interesting points. All took picnic lunches and all had instructions to return to the campus at 6:30 p. m. Tuesday was also a holiday, thus giving two holidays in succession. Now comes the final four weeks of strenuous work, examinations, commencement and the fiftieth anniversary.

N. A. A. OPENS BALL
SEASON ON MAY 30TH

The first baseball game of the Northfield Athletic association will be held on Memorial Day, May 30th at 2:30 p. m. at the Northfield Hotel diamond. Manager Harlan Atwood would like to arrange for other games with amateur teams. Shelburne Falls Indians are the attraction on Memorial Day.

Food Sale

The Unitarian Alliance sponsor a food sale on Thursday afternoon, May 23rd, which will be held on the lawn of the church if pleasant. Otherwise it will be held in the vestry.

LYNWOOD BRYANT WINS
PRIZE FOR THESIS

Lynwood Bryant, a senior at Harvard university, has just won the undergraduate Bowdoin first prize of \$250 for a thesis in English. The prize was founded in 1745 by a governor of Massachusetts. Lynwood is a graduate of Northfield High school and of Mt. Hermon school.

MR. MEAD HURT
SERIOUSLY IN FALL
FROM WAGON

Albert W. Mead of Northfield Upper Farms had a serious fall from the back of a vehicle on Tuesday. He sustained a dislocated hip and was bruised. He was taken to the Franklin County hospital where Dr. Stetson and Dr. Wright readjusted the hip. He will be confined to the hospital for a week or so.

To Hospital Again

It is with much regret we hear that Howard Briggs returned to the Mass. General hospital in Boston last week. On Saturday he underwent his fifth operation, this time for the removal of an abscess on his right shoulder. Tissue was cut out for microscopic study.

High School Baseball

The Northfield High school baseball team defeated Hinsdale at Northfield last Friday afternoon, the score being 8 to 6. A week ago Friday Bernardston was defeated at Bernardston, 10 to 5. With two games won and none lost, Northfield stands at the lead of the league at present. The next game will be Winchester vs. Northfield at Northfield, May 18th.

LADIES' SEWING
SOCIETY MEET AT
CONG'L CHURCH

The Ladies' Sewing society of the Congregational church was held last week Thursday at the vestry when a box of clothing, bedding and other articles were packed to send to The Hindman Settlement School of Hindman, Ky. This is the school with which Mrs. C. L. Mason was associated for ten years in the Fireside Industries department of the school. The box was valued at \$50.

At this meeting the annual reports of officers were read and the officers elected as follows: President, Mrs. F. S. Merrifield; vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Walte; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. F. E. Evans, assisted by Miss M. J. Hills; chaplain, Miss C. B. Lane; sewing committee, Mrs. L. H. Laselle, Mrs. Carl Mason, Mrs. A. M. Wright; patchwork, Mrs. E. M. Laselle; social committee, Mrs. Charles Hodgen, Mrs. J. E. Nye, Mrs. William Leslie. There were 28 present.

CHURCH, FRATERNAL
AND OTHER NOTICESTRINITARIAN CONG. CHURCH
Rev. F. W. Pattison, Pastor
SUNDAY

10:30 A. M. Prayers.
0:45 A. M. Morning Worship.
2:10 P. M. Sunday School.
7:00 P. M. Young People's Society.
8:00 P. M. Monthly Musical Service.
Mount Hermon Choir.

MONDAY

8:00 P. M. Friendly Class Social.

TUESDAY

8:15 P. M. Girl Scouts.
6:30 P. M. The Brotherhood. Supper. Speaker: Hon. Herbert C. Parsons.

THURSDAY

10:30 A. M. Ladies' Sewing Society.
7:30 P. M. Week Evening Service.
III John.

FRIDAY

3:00 P. M. Berean Class with Mrs. Fred Holton.
7:00 P. M. Boys' Brigade.

UNITARIAN CHURCH

Rev. R. E. Griffith, Pastor
SUNDAY

Sermon by the Pastor.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

South Vernon
Rev. George E. Tyler, Pastor
SUNDAY

0:45 A. M. Sermon by the pastor
12:05 P. M. Church School.
7:30 P. M. A union service at the chapel with the Union Church uniting. The public is cordially invited.
Thursday evening service at the Home at 7:30.

All services on Standard Time.
Rev. John S. Purdy and Mrs. Purdy of Plainville, Conn., came to the Home on Saturday to remain indefinitely. The semi-annual meeting of the Vernon Home directors was held at the Home on Wednesday last.

FREE METHODIST CHURCH

Doris E. Faulkner, Pastor
SUNDAY

10:30 A. M. Morning Worship.
11:30 A. M. Sunday School.
6:30 P. M. Class Meeting.
7:30 P. M. Evening Worship.

WEDNESDAY

3:00 P. M. Children's Meeting
May 22 to June 2
7:30 P. M. Preaching each evening by Rev. E. Ballenger of Omaha, Neb.

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Y. P. B. MEETING

AT NOTCH HILL

The Y. P. B. had their usual good time at Notch Hill on Wednesday evening. In fact it began with daylight, ball-playing on the lawn and outdoor games, etc. There were about thirty odd of the young folks and half a dozen of the elders present.

After an interesting business session, with chorus singing, quite an elaborate program was given by various ones. Refreshments were next and dancing and games followed. The date of the next meeting was not decided upon but it is expected to make it a picnic outdoors somewhere and due advance notice will be given when the committee complete their plans.

Anne Wiggin, with thirty Near East students comes today for the week-end of recreation at the Northfield Hotel.

Mabel—Will you join me in a bowl of soup?
Bertha—Do you think there'd be room for both of us?—(Pathfinder.)

Claim Agent—Are you badly hurt?
Victim of Accident—I don't know. I'm waiting for the morning papers. (Judge.)

"Hey! You can't squeeze in them revolving doors together."
"Aw, shut up, what's it to ye—ain't ye ever been in love?"—(Life)

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